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## TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES,

WASHINGTON, October 13, 1890.

Hon. Wm. Windom,

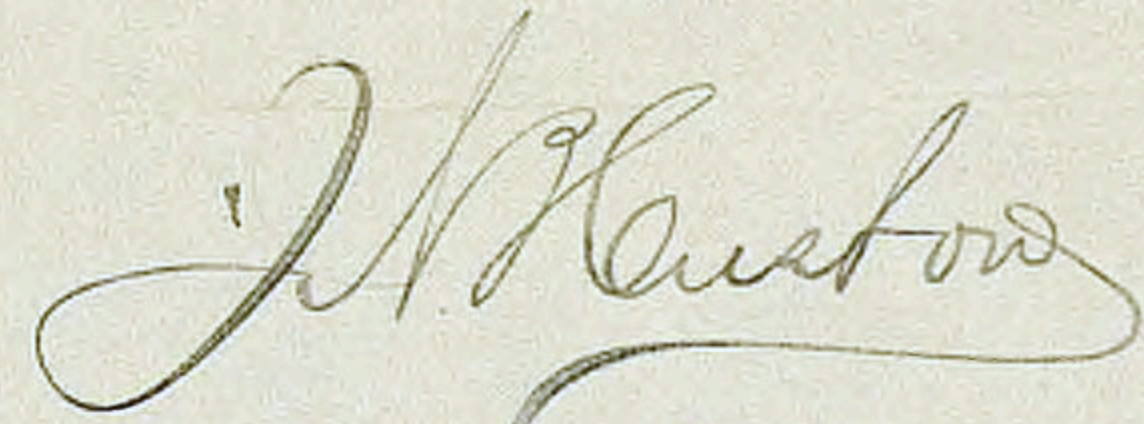
Secretary of the Treasury.

Sir:

I have the honor to advise you that on August 1, 1890, there were in the Treasury offices \$2,442,738 in silver quarter dollars, while the reports received this day show but \$1,462,011 in silver quarters now on hand, a greater portion of which will probably be required for distribution within the next thirty or sixty days.

I have the honor to request, therefore, that the Director of the Mint be authorized to coin, say \$1,000,000 in silver coin, of the above denomination from the Trade Dollar Bullion Fund now on hand.

Respectfully yours,

~~Acting Asst.~~ Treasurer U.S.



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Treasury Department,

October 18, 1890.

Respectfully referred to

the Director of the Mint who will,  
as herein requested, please cause  
silver quarter dollars to be coin-  
ed to the amount of \$1,000,000  
from the stock of trade dollar  
bullion now on hand.

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Treasury Department,  
Bureau of the Mint  
October 30, 1890.

Respectfully referred to  
Superintendent of the Mint at  
Philadelphia with instructions  
to coin \$1,000,000 in quarter-  
dollars from the stock of  
trade dollar bullion on hand  
as rapidly as the business of  
the mint will permit.

*E. A. Mearns*  
Director.

Treasurer U.S.  
J. A. Norton.  
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Ask that 1,000,000 in  
fractional silver (quarters)  
be coined from Trade-  
dollar bullion fund.

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[Abstract:] Asks that 1,000,000 in fractional silver quarters be coined from Trade dollar bullion Fund.

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J.N. Hurton  
Treasurer U.S.

[Typed notes on back:]

Treasury Department,  
October 18, 1890

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Windom  
Secretary. B.

Treasury Department,  
Bureau of the Mint  
October 30, 1890.

Respectfully referred to Superintendent of the Mint at Philadelphia with instructions to coin \$1,000,000 in quarter-dollars from stock of trade dollar bullion on hand as rapidly as the business of the mint will permit.

E.O. Leech  
Director.